

POLICE TO SEARCH
MUSICA MANSION
FOR MORE EVIDENCEHope to Find Something That
May Link Him With
Another Crime

HUNT MISSING GUN

Pistol With Which Musica
Ended Life Has Been Miss-
ing Since Suicide

By International News Service

FAIRFIELD, Conn., Dec. 20.—Fairfield police today planned to search again the mansion of the late Philip Musica, in the hope of finding evidence that may link the super-felon with still another crime—that of murder.

A report that the signature of John J. O'Hara, killed by gangsters in Sunnyside, New York, several weeks ago, was found on the forged Dun and Bradstreet report of W. W. Smith and Company, fictitious agents for the wholesale department of McKesson and Robbins, causing Chief of Police Arthur J. Bennett to plan a new search for a .32-calibre revolver missing from Musica's home since his suicide Friday.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—(INS)—The grieving widow and two sisters of the masquerading "F. Donald Coster" headed a parade of 35 witnesses before a Federal Grand Jury that began considering today what authorities term the "most gigantic and fantastic conspiracy and swindle ever foisted upon the American public."

The guiding genius of the fiasco that penetrated into 48 states and may envelope some prominent personages

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Name Agnes Barclay Pres't
Of Newportville Y. P. C. U.

NEWPORTVILLE, Dec. 20.—The Y. P. C. U. held a business meeting Friday evening in Newportville Church, at which time new officers were elected, as follows:

President, Agnes Barclay; vice-president, Barbara Ingraham; secretary, John Brambley; treasurer, Walter Dost.

Plans were made to go caroling on Christmas Eve, and all desiring to do so are invited to join the group. They will leave the home of Miss Barclay at 11 p. m., December 24th.

After business a social time occurred, gifts being exchanged and refreshments served.

Put Death List at 200
Due To Europe's Cold Wave

LONDON, Dec. 20.—(INS)—With deaths estimated between 100 and 200, Great Britain and the European continent today were in the grip of one of the worst cold spells in years.

As many as 30 deaths were reported throughout the British Isles, where the temperature averaged 23 above zero and colder weather was anticipated. Railroads ran "ghost trains" throughout the night to prevent points on the rails from freezing. Hundreds of automobiles were abandoned on treacherous roads.

Scores of deaths were reported in other parts of Europe. At Moscow the mercury registered 20 below zero, the lowest mark in years.

According to the London Daily Express influenza was rampant among 5,000 refugees in a "no man's land" along the Polish-German border. More than 600 of the refugees were reported ill and 10 died, according to the Express. Jewish organizations in Warsaw were rushing coal and blankets to them.

At least ten persons were frozen to death in Bulgaria and more than 20 met a similar fate in the Eastern Ukraine.

SMALL FIRE

Firemen were called yesterday afternoon to extinguish a blaze on a window sill at the Metropolitan Insurance Co. building on Mill street.

ACCEPTS CHAIRMANSHIP

Martin Fallon has accepted the appointment as chairman for Bristol in the "Fight Infantile Paralysis" campaign. Plans are now being made for the annual President's ball.

VISITATION TONIGHT

There will be a visitation of Hopkins Lodge, No. 87, I. O. O. F., to Mr. Ararat Encampment, Holmesburg, this evening. Members are asked to meet at the local lodge hall at seven o'clock.

TWINS BORN

Twins, a son and a daughter, were born November 11th at 11 o'clock, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Repasy, Andalusia.

Fusco-Sharp Nuptials
Are Performed in Bristol

Miss Betty Sharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sharp, 537 Linden street, and Angelo M. Fusco, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fusco, Radcliffe street, were married Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock in St. Mark's Catholic Church. The Rev. Paul E. Baird, officiated.

Miss Betty Gilardi, Philadelphia, a cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid; and Samuel Bichani served as best man. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents where the couple will reside.

SELECTIONS FOR YULE
PRESENTED BY CHORUSContemporary Chorus of Tren-
ton Entertains Yardley
Civic Club

MRS. STRATTON LEADS

YARDLEY, Dec. 20.—One of the pre-Christmas activities here was the party held by Yardley Civic Club in the club rooms, with members of the Trenton Contemporary Chorus as guests.

The affair was opened with the repeating of the club collect with Mrs. John B. Force presiding, and a silent prayer for Mrs. Frank Sigafos, who recently died. Mrs. Fred G. Satterthwaite gave the birthday of the month, and selected the Christ Child, reading the Christmas story from Luke.

The program was then turned over to Mrs. B. Frank Stratton, leader of the chorus, who presented the following program: Processional, "March of the Three Kings," chorus, in vested garments, then "Here We Come A Caroling," "Jesu Bambino," Mrs. S. Frank Stratton, Mrs. Robert Burroughs, and Mrs. Robert Hatten; "Lo, How A Rose E'er Blooming" and "The Coventry Carol," chorus; "O Little Town of Bethlehem," chorus, and audience; "Descant—Beautiful Savior," with Mrs. Hans Hansen as soloist.

Miss Emma Fesco then favored with a violin solo, followed by "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," Mrs. Charles Hutchinson, Mrs. Norman Hartman, Mrs. Robert Hatten, "Jesu! Thou Dear Baby Divine," "Lift Thine Eyes," chorus; "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," chorus and audience.

Mrs. Clifford C. Nelson then read the story, "Why the Chimes Rang." Mrs. Charles Hutchinson, Mrs. Norman Hartman, Mrs. Robert Burroughs, and Mrs. Charles McCoy gave "A Cradle Song of the Blessed Virgin," and the chorus gave "Passion Chorale," followed by the recessional, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," and the program closed with "O Holy Night" as a piano solo by Mrs. Norman Hartman.

Mrs. Louis C. Leedom called attention of the members to a number of baskets placed in the stores of the community to be used to make a happier Christmas for the needy families of the community.

The decorations were under the direction of Mrs. Bruce Woodhouse, Mrs. Joseph Harratt, and Mrs. Mahlon B. Knowles; and hostesses for the afternoon included: Mrs. Vaughn S. Grundy, Mrs. Robert S. Johnson, Mrs. William H. Tams, Mrs. Virgil Kaufman, Mrs. Karl Schell, Mrs. Harry M. Hensler, Mrs. William Howitt, Mrs. William Woodhouse, Mrs. David MacMullen.

Chamberlain Given
Big Vote of Endorsement

By Charles A. Smith
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)
LONDON, Dec. 20.—(INS)—A green light, signaling him to "go ahead," shone on Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain's horizon today after the House of Commons gave his drive for European appeasement an overwhelming 340 to 143 vote of endorsement.

The vote, which rejected a Laborite motion censuring the Prime Minister, was taken at the end of a tempestuous debate during which Laborite members of Parliament flashed red lights of criticism at Chamberlain, even charging that he was not telling the truth.

Chamberlain was forced to defend his foreign policy from every angle against the taunts of his opponents, and even declared:

"I am still awaiting a sign from those who speak for the German people that they share this desire (for peace) and are prepared to make a contribution to peace which would help them as much as it would help us."

Closing the debate for the Government, Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, declared the four-power Munich pact remains an instrument of peace. He said Chamberlain persisted in trying to preserve peace when everyone else became resigned in despair to war.

HALL DECORATED

A holiday appearance has been given to the Hopkins Lodge headquarters at Radcliffe and Walnut streets, by decorating with colored electric lights.

TWISTS ARM

Lewis Lundin, Bristol R. D. No. 1, suffered a contused wound of the arm when the member was twisted as a shovel split yesterday, as he worked at the Wilson Distillery. He was treated in Harriman Hospital.

Classified ads deliver the goods.

Here and There in Bucks County Towns

With a banquet to be held in January and a membership drive, which is believed will add a large number of men to the rolls, the Morrisville Chamber of Commerce is planning for an active season following the holidays. At a meeting tentative plans were made for several events expected to increase interest and boost the membership. Postmaster George W. Barger is president.

A group voted to join the Bucks County Association, Committee of '76, which is endeavoring to have the County Commissioners zone Bucks County. Fred Watson and Raymond Dreisbach were named as representatives from the Chamber of Commerce.

A tentative date was set for the banquet as Tuesday evening, January 24, and a committee working out the plans is composed of Stanley Coney, chairman; Robert E. Anderson, Harry M. Lair and Herman Margerum, Jr.

The membership committee is composed of Harry Simpson, chairman; Raymond Johnson, Marvin Young and George Willard.

Several cottages in Perkaskie Park were ransacked some time during the past two weeks. This was discovered several days ago when an owner of one of the cottages visited the park to prepare the cottage for the winter.

A key had been inserted in the keyhole and broken. This aroused his suspicions and an investigation disclosed that at least three cottages had been entered and small articles of furnishings and cooking utensils stolen.

In one cottage almost all the aluminum-ware was piled on a bed sheet presumably a preparatory step in a plan to carry it away.

Arrangements were made to have an officer patrol the park at regular intervals nightly.

A meeting of Lower Bucks County ministers was held in the Newtown Methodist Church, recently. The Rev. F. C. Thomas, of Yardley, presided, and the Rev. Carl R. Hammerly, of Newtown, led devotions.

The Rev. W. C. Matthews, of Wesley Church, Trenton, gave a talk on his visit to mission centres in the South, illustrating his account with pictures. Those attending were: the Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Thomas, Yardley; the Rev. C. H. Weller, Morrisville; the Rev. and Mrs. Matthews, Trenton; the Rev. J. M. McElroy, Harriman; the Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Davidson, Doylestown; the Rev. and Mrs. Harold Boughey, Treves; the Rev. and Mrs. John Barnes, Scottsville; the Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Comly, Hulmeville; the Rev. W. B. Williamson, of Penna Park, and mother; and the Rev. and Mrs. Hammerly, Newtown.

Dinner was served the group in Wesley Hall by the local Ladies' Aid.

With Assistant County Agent William H. Wilson in charge, about 25 people attended a meeting of the Bucks County 4-H Dairy Clubs in the

men's jury room in the Court House at Doylestown on Friday evening.

The speaker was Joseph Nageotte, dairy extension specialist of Pennsylvania State College, who discussed dairy calf feeding and general calf management.

Clubs represented were Edgewood, Newtown and Hilltown.

Assistant County Agent Wilson announced that the Bucks County 4-H Dairy Calf Club will be represented at the Harrisburg State Farm Products' Show.

The clubs and their entries are as follows: Edgewood Club, class of five Holsteins, exhibited by the following members: Mabel Satterthwaite, calf; William Satterthwaite, calf; James Howes, two-year-old; Jean Wright, aged cow; John Wright, aged cow.

Newtown 4-H Club: Paul Moore, senior yearling Jersey calf.

Hilltown 4-H Club: Irene Bishop, Ayrshire calf; William Lewis, senior Brown Swiss calf.

A number of parents of the young 4-H calf club members also attended the meeting.

MORRISVILLE'S SEWAGE
FUND PLEA REJECTED

Turned Down On WPA Grant
For Disposal Plant and
Sewage System

LACK OF BORO' FUNDS

MORRISVILLE, Dec. 20.—This borough is not to receive the PWA grant which it sought to aid in paying for erection of a sewage disposal plant, and a sewage system for Morrisville.

The refusal on the part of government units is due to lack of borough funds.

In a letter from the Federal Administrator, it was stated that a number of other worthwhile projects had been turned down because of the lack of funds and it was improbable that any allotment could be made for the Morrisville sewers.

It was the intention of members of Common Council to procure as much money as possible through a PWA grant and a bond issue and then erect the disposal plant and one section of the system. Later on, as funds became available, additions would be built to the sewer lines.

While this plan of a Federal Government grant and a bond issue seems to be out of the question now there is another way in which the borough could build the disposal plant and have the sewer lines installed in every section of the borough by setting up an authority board which would build the system, operate it and the costs would be paid for by a sewage rental over a period of years.

After the system is paid for by this sewer rent the plant and system would be turned over to the borough.

Women of Moose Are To
Gather For Gala Time

The Women of the Moose, Bristol Chapter, No. 763, will hold a Christmas party, tonight, at nine o'clock, in the Moose Home. The members are requested to take a gift, not to exceed 50 cents. Mrs. Timothy Reardon is chairman of the refreshment committee, and Miss Jennie Tisione is chairman of the entertainment committee. There will be a Christmas tree in the women's lounge.

Six new members have joined the Chapter: Mrs. Benjamin Harmon, Mrs. Allen Libo, Mrs. Charles G. Brodie, Mrs. Antonio Terson, Mrs. Paul Jobson and Mrs. George A. Brown.

Anyone using groceries of the companies whose labels are desired are asked to give them to any member of the Women of the Moose before January 6th.

The morning devotions were led by Mrs. Coleman Kenderdine and the study by Mrs. Edward D. Osterhout. A Christmas offering was taken.

A luncheon was served by the hostesses and her assistants, Mrs. Wesley Paxson, Mrs. Harry Federkeil, Mrs. Floyd C. Marlatt and Mrs. Charles Davis.

The devotions of the afternoon were led by Mrs. Rufus N. VanSant and the study was in charge of Mrs. Blanche R. Hetherington.

A meeting of the Aid Society was held at 2:30 with Mrs. James B. Rudhart presiding.

The different groups of the society who have been working during the past year to raise funds, gave splendid reports on the result of their efforts. A new member, Mrs. Albert Reiger, was added to the society.

The next meeting will be held January 10, the place to be announced later.

St. James Circle Plans
Christmas Party Program

Program for St. James' Christmas party sponsored by women of St. James Circle, Wednesday night, in the parish house, will be as follows:

Welcome by the rector; carol singing, led by Mrs. William Duhamel; vocal solo, "No Candle, No Fire," Erna Letterle; singing and dancing skit, group of children trained by Mrs. Maude Carter, Parkland; English carols, Margaret Phipps and Robert Townsend; reading, Miss Mary Myers, Torresdale; piano solo, "Aragonesa," Jean Roberts; reading, Miss Myers; guitar and mandolin selections, the Kilian Brothers; carol singing; Virginia reel and general dancing.

Courier Classified Ads bring results.

LATEST NEWS - - -

Received by International
News Service Leased
Wires.

Blow at Nazi Export Trade

Berlin, Dec. 20.—A blow in the Nazi bread basket came swinging across the Atlantic from Washington today in the form of orders received by all American consulates in the Reich, to classify export goods from Sudenland as coming from Germany. At present, so far as America is concerned, that kind of identification mark is the same as branding the article poison. It has just about ended Sudenland's export trade with the United States.

Defends Lindbergh

Paris, Dec. 20.—Criticism of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh for his acceptance of a Nazi medal of honor, today brought a spirited defense of his "100% Americanism."

The defense offered was that Colonel Lindbergh was completely surprised when at conclusion of an official banquet in Berlin, Field Marshal Goering presented him with the medal.

"Taken entirely by surprise, he smiled sheepishly, made a brief speech of acceptance and then sat down," said an associate of Colonel Lindbergh. "He couldn't very well refuse the award even though he realized its inevitable repercussion."

To Support Republicans

Media, Pa., Dec. 20.—State Senator Weldon Heyburn, elected on a coalition ticket in 1936, and listed as a Democrat, today announced he would vote with the Republicans in all measures benefiting the Commonwealth "and would support Governor-elect Arthur H. James' program to attract industry to Pennsylvania."

It was immediately pointed out that with Heyburn voting with the Republicans, the balance of power in the upper House of the General Assembly would be tied with 25 Democrat and Republican votes each. The presiding officer of the Senate then would hold the deciding vote when it exists.

Should, however, state Senator Samuel W. Salus, Republican, win his fight to keep Democratic State Senator-elect Herbert Levin, of Philadelphia, from his seat, the Republicans would have a voting majority of a single ballot in the upper chamber.

"My record," said Heyburn in a statement, "will show that I vote for all proper and beneficial legislation, and against power graft and unconstitutional measures. I voted against every piece of ripper legislation."

HOMES ARE GAY WITH
GREENS AT YULETIDE

This is As It Should Be As
Christmas is A Joyous
Season

SHOPPING SUGGESTIONS

By Window Shopper

"When holly decks the hall!" This is a familiar refrain at Christmas time, but in this day and age holly seems to deck every nook and cranny of the house. Not only the hall, but the living-room, dining-room, den, and even the exterior of the house become gay with holly, laurel, poinsettias.

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Choir of Church of Our
Saviour Has Yule Party

The junior choir of Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour held a Christmas party last evening in the Sunday School room. The room was decorated with a tree and other greens in keeping with the Yuletide season. Games were enjoyed, and the members exchanged gifts. Refreshments were served.

Those attending: the Misses Jennie Tisione, Georgette Clavarelo, Norma Caucei, Helen Petoillo, Margaret DiNunzio, Rita Fiorita, Marie Costantini, Vilma Viviani; Messrs. John Claffaro, Phillip Orazzi, Roland Hems, Michael DiNunzio.

TWO TO SPEND X'MAS IN
JAIL FOR ROBBING CARS

Pair Arrested by Police Were
Unable To Obtain Bail
Following Hearings

BOTH ADMIT GUILT

Two young men, both about 21 years of age, are going to spend Christmas in the Bucks County jail unless \$1,000 bail for each is forthcoming between now and Christmas.

The pair was given hearings last night. A friend summoned to furnish the bail declined after the hearing and the fathers of each of the young men, likewise refused to furnish the necessary security. It appears that the two defendants are prone to take trips, sometimes one enters the navy and does not come back for quite a time. It was this fact it was said, which made the parents afraid to promise their appearance at the next term of court.

The two defendants, Walter T. Churchray and Victor Goslewski, were tried for three separate offenses. One case, stripping an automobile of its tires, was heard before Justice of Peace, James Guy. The other two charges dealt with stealing tires from an auto and robbing a garage. These two were heard by Justice of Peace James Laughlin. Judge Guy fixed the sum of \$500 bail each in his case, while Justice Laughlin set the same amount for each of the defendants.

Police officer, Alonzo Vanzant, told how he and Officer Pollard, while patrolling in the Sixth Ward, at about 3:15 Saturday morning saw an automobile parked near a vacant lot. As the officers were inspecting this car they heard an outcry from a house on McKinley street. Henry D. Johnson had caught one of the men removing tires from his machine. The car was jacked up and both rear wheels had been removed and also the spare tire.

Chief Jones told Judge Guy that statements had been obtained from the two men in which they admitted their guilt.

In the hearing before Justice of Peace James Laughlin, Bucks County Detective Anthony Russo said that the two had robbed the garage of Harry Berdelman on the night of December 3rd. A battery was removed from the car and set on the seat which was ruined by the acid. The battery and a flashlight were taken.

It was also testified that the pair had also robbed a car of tires at Edgely which belonged to Joseph Pica.

Both of the prisoners pleaded guilty.

Christmas Affair Held
By Langhorne Auxiliary

LANGHORNE, Dec. 20.—A Christmas supper and distribution of small gifts was a feature of the social which followed December meeting of American Legion Auxiliary of Jesse W. Soby Post, last evening in the Memorial House.

Mrs. Leo McCarthy, Hulmeville, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. George Morris. Welfare work for the Yuletide was arranged during the business session, with the welfare representatives in each district being placed in charge of this. Minutes and the treasurer's report were given by Mrs. Gilbert Bonnell and Mrs. Robert Leedom, respectively.

Mrs. Cassidy reported that a session of the management committee is soon to be conducted. Under the labels plan activities, a supper was arranged for Saturday evening, January 14th, in the Memorial House, with Mrs. Frank Buckley being aided by Mrs. Joseph Zolot, Langhorne; Mrs. Buckley, South Langhorne; Mrs. Harry Heller, Treves; Mrs. James Tracy and Mrs. McCarthy, Hulmeville.

A report received from the president showed that 10 boxes of gifts had been forwarded to invalid ex-service men in Coatesville Hospital; and three bags of gifts to the Naval Hospital, Philadelphia. A short talk on "Americanism" was given by Miss Elma E. Haefner, Hulmeville.

Mrs. Charles Dittmar told of the plans of the Junior Auxiliary members for their Christmas supper and party on Friday evening next, and announced change in meeting night. Named in charge of refreshments for the January session are Mrs. Warren Randall and Mrs. Ernest Robinson.

A supper was served by Mrs. James Tracy and Mrs. Howard Potter, Hulmeville, the tables being decked with miniature Christmas trees and other Yuletide appointments. Favors were candy canes. The members exchanged gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Luff and son Gerald, Jr., Vineland, N. J., will spend Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lippincott, Linden street.

HEIRS ARE NAMED
IN THE FIELD AND
HANSEN ESTATES

Widow to Benefit by Will of
Dominic A. Field, Late
of Bristol

CHURCH BENEFITS

Part of Stauffer Estate, Quak-
ertown, Eventually
Goes to Church

DOYLESTOWN, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Felicitia Field, 216 Franklin street, Bristol, will inherit the \$500 personal estate of Dominic A. Field, of Bristol. Two daughters, Jennie Hansen Subers, and Rose Hansen Dunbar, will share equally the \$425 personal and \$2,000 real estate holdings of Rebecca Neely Hansen, of Bristol township. Mrs. Subers, Bristol, R. D. No. 1, was named executrix of her mother's estate.

Sons and daughters will inherit the \$825 personal and \$2200 real estate holdings of Lavinia G. Kilmer, Perkaskie. Jacob K. Kilmer, Linfield, Montgomery county, was named executor. Two sons, Jacob and Elmer, were each bequeathed \$50. Two sons, Jacob K. and Elmer K., and two daughters, Minerva K. Klem and Martha Trauger, will share the residue.

Letters of administration in the estate of Revilo Charles, West Rockhill township, were granted to Mahlon Keller, amounting to \$6,000. Two sisters, Olive M. Schwartz, of Hazleton, and Victoria E. Banks, of Bridgeton, N. J., are the heirs. Real estate consists of land in West Rockhill township.

In the estate of Amanda Agney, of Plumstead township, letters of administration were granted to Howard G. Agney, amounting to \$1039.95. The heirs include three sons, Howard G. and Clarence G., of Danboro, and Arthur G., of Doylestown. Real estate holdings include one-fourth interest in a wood lot in Plumstead township, one-third interest in a lot in the same township.

Mahlon C. Rush was granted the letters of administration in the estate of Anderson Conard, of Warwick township, amounting to a personal estate of \$3800. Two sisters, Marion C. Rush, Jamison, and Euphemia C. Atkinson, Rusland, are the heirs.

Leaving a personal estate of \$10,000, Catherine Stauffer, of Quakertown, according to her will probated in the Register of Wills' office, here, bequeathed \$500 to the Phoebe Deaconess Home in Allentown.

The testatrix, who died December 2, also created a trust fund of \$1,000 which will provide an income for Benjamin Stauffer for life, but following his death the income will be inherited by the First Reformed Church of Quakertown.

Individual benefactors include a sister, Amanda Yost, \$1; a brother, John H. Stauffer, \$5000; a niece, Eva Hoffman, \$500; two nephews, John, Jr., and Fred Stauffer; a niece, Katie, \$500; Esther and Ruth Wickersham, \$200 each; Annie Hunsberger, \$200.

The residue of the estate will be inherited by Fannie Wickersham and the remaining half will be placed in trust in the Quakertown Trust Company to provide an income for Nora M. Afflerbach and her heirs.

Joseph Rich, of Doylestown township, who died October 9, left a personal estate of \$5,000, and real estate valued at \$15,000. The real estate includes a 91 acre farm in Doylestown township.

Three children, Joseph Rich, Jr., Marian S. Garland and Mary B. Rich, will inherit the income of the farm until it is sold.

The residue of the estate will be divided among Alexander Rich, Sarah VanArtsdalen, Edith Worstall, Marian S. Garland, Mary B. Rich, Joseph, Jr., and Robert H. Rich, who was named executor.

With the exception of a bequest of a Persian rug to a cousin, Eva W. Lovett, and a mahogany bookcase to a nephew, Alfred W. Collins, the \$6,000 estate and upwards of Helen C. Bunting, of Quakertown, will be inherited by various heirs for whom an income was provided. Ethel H. Robbins, Morrisville, R. D., was named executor.

BASKETEER HURT

Charles Hughes, 560 Swain street, has a contused wound of the left elbow, sustained last evening, while playing basketball. He was treated in Harriman Hospital.

AN ENTERTAINMENT

Calvary Baptist Sunday School will hold its Christmas entertainment tonight at eight o'clock in the Sunday School room of the church. A fine program which everyone will enjoy has been arranged.

TO GIVE CONCERT

The Ernest Gamble Concert Party will appear at the annual Christmas party given by the Trenton Rotarians to their women guests at the Stacy-Trent hotel, Trenton, N. J., Thursday noon. The Gambles have prepared an original musical playlet, "The New Nation's First Christmas," consisting of Yuletide music of Colonial times.

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water 1.10 a. m., 1.34 p. m.
Low water 8.09 a. m., 8.43 p

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SIMPLE ENOUGH IN PART

According to O. E. Reed, chief of the bureau of dairy industry, federal department of agriculture, the trouble with the dairy interests of the country is simply that the farmers are now producing more milk than they can sell at a satisfactory price and the people are not consuming as much milk as they would if the price were lower or their incomes were higher.

Solomon when he sat on his throne was no wiser than is Mr. Reed as he formulates this conclusion. The difference between Solomon and Mr. Reed, however, is that the ancient king knew how to solve the problems that came to him and Mr. Reed contents himself largely with stating this particular one.

Milk producers and milk consumers will agree, however, that Mr. Reed's presentation of the obvious is wholly correct. But they will not be able to extract any comfort from it. The former know that they do not get a fair profit for their efforts. The latter know that they can not buy all the milk they should consume at the prices charged for house delivery. There is still that spread which denies a living wage to the producer and full nutritional value to the limited consumer.

So far it is all simple enough. But what Mr. Reed does not do—and what all the government officials and boards and legislatures and the like have failed to do—is to mark out a way by which the farmers will receive what should be theirs and the small-income consumers will be able to buy milk enough to meet the normal needs of their families. The fellow who does that will get a rating equal to Solomon's.

PASTURES NEW

Ten years ago the medical profession was the goal of 21 per cent of the freshmen of the City College of New York. This year only 8 per cent of the 1,479 freshmen indicated preference for medicine. Ten years ago 13 per cent of the freshmen selected law as their lifework, this year only 4 per cent.

The trend away from the traditional professional ambitions of college freshmen in this one institution in the nation's metropolis has caused a corresponding increase in students choosing teaching or accounting as careers. The change from medicine and law to teaching and accounting proves puzzling to the analysis of trends, but one of them essays an opinion which appears cogent, pertinent and material.

Dr. Daniel F. Brophy, director of the City College personnel bureau, thinks that "medicine and law, which require a great investment financially and which do not begin to pay well to most practitioners until they reach their thirties, have been abandoned by the depression-bred, practical-minded freshmen for fields which offer greater security, such as teaching or accounting."

The College of the City of New York is only one of the hundreds of educational institutions in the United States, and its experience need not necessarily be regarded as an index of the whole, but nevertheless the summation by Dr. Brophy cannot be ignored. It may prove to have considerable value in the estimate of American educational tendencies.

Someone now reminds us that there are 11 kinds of money in circulation in the United States. More appreciated would be information on how to get hold of one as it flits by.

INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS OF NEARBY TOWNS

HULMEVILLE

Improvement is noted in the condition of Mrs. William Brown, Jr., Philadelphia, who recently underwent an operation in Temple University Hospital. Mrs. Brown formerly resided in Hulmeville.

Joseph Devlin, infant son of James and Veronica Potter Devlin, Frankford, was christened on Sunday in Our Lady of Grace Church, South Langhorne. The sponsors were Mrs. Edward Althouse, Hulmeville; and Joseph Devlin, Philadelphia, aunt and grandfather of the baby. A dinner followed at the home of Mrs. Devlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Potter, here, covers being arranged for 20.

Mrs. Edward Davis had the misfortune to catch her hand in an electric wringer yesterday, the member being painfully injured.

FALLSINGTON

Miss Mae Kelly will have as guests on Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly, Miss Rose Watson, Mrs. Edith Watson, Mr. and Mrs. La Grand La Rue and daughter Evelyn, Morrisville; Miss Letitia Watson, Doylestown; and Warren Kelly.

The Mary A. Williamson Guild met at the home of Mrs. Francis H. Smith, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Klockner has been spending several days with Mrs. Dora Cumberly, Robbinsville.

Mrs. Louis Satterthwaite, Mrs. Watson Satterthwaite, Newtown, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Satterthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles South and

daughter Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coghlan and daughters Barbara, Betty and Patricia attended the Christmas party given by the Republican Club at Tyro Hall, Buckingham.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly, Morrisville, were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Mae Kelly.

A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heavener on Saturday evening, the occasion being their 25th wedding anniversary. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Winder, Miss Rose Wright, Miss Anna Wright, Miss Jennie B. Moon, Mrs. Jenny Sthen, and Fred Watson. The evening was spent in playing games, after which refreshments were served. A present was given the couple from the Delaware Valley Grange.

TULLYTOWN

Leroy McMann, Wallington, N. J., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Johnson and son Walter, Lancaster, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Johnson.

Mrs. Robert Hirst and son Richard spent Friday visiting friends in Langhorne.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Tischer spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Tischer, Wilmington, Del.

Miss Elizabeth Harrison, Philadelphia, has been spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus King.

Mrs. Catherine Slager spent Sunday at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sullivan, Bristol.

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Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bodine, Pennsylvania, N. J., were visitors of the former's sister, Mrs. Christopher A. Johnson, Saturday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Maconaughey and daughter, Margaret Rose, Philadelphia, were visitors of the Rev. and Mrs. Alexander Maconaughey, Saturday.

The Great Game of Politics

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work and it is certain to be modified, changed, revamped and generally overhauled by Congress.

NO ONE knows all this better than Mr. Hopkins. He has gotten himself into a hot spot and is anxious to get out. Perhaps he is not to blame for the failure of the WPA. Perhaps no one could have done a better administrative job. But it is his own fault that he has become recognized as an aggressive and offensive political partisan—known as one of the President's political advisers. Of course, he cannot blame anyone but himself for his indiscreet utterances and it is certainly his own fault that his garrulous aide, Mr. Aubrey Williams, has been permitted, unrebuked, to inflame relief workers with class-hatred speeches and encourage the Workers' Alliance, which is dominated by Communists and is in New Deal politics, as its leader says, "with both feet."

IT is not surprising that with this background the suggestion of putting Mr. Hopkins in the Cabinet should arouse opposition in the Senate. It is surprising that, regardless of his intimacy with the President, there has not come a stronger public demand for his removal as head of the relief organization. It is possible, of course, that the President may not name Mr. Hopkins as Mr. Roper's successor, but there is no doubt at all that he wants to. As for the idea that if named he will not be confirmed, there is no foundation for that. He will be confirmed, all right. For one thing, Mr. Hopkins has done a lot of favors for Senators. There are few who have not had to ask him for money. For another, certain well-known "economic royalists" of the type most derided and abused by New Deal spokesmen and particular targets of the Corcoran-Cohen group are behind him.

IN THE course of the last few years, while belonging to the group

of New Dealers who most violently rant against wealth and most constantly sob about the "underprivileged third," Mr. Hopkins has become great personal friends with a number of wealthy men and frequently has been their guest in New York, Long Island and other places. Some of these are among his strongest backers for the Cabinet post. Some of them were for him for this new job ahead of the "inner circle." Some of them have considerable influence with anti-Administration Democrats in the Senate.

IF Mr. Hopkins is confirmed—and there is every indication he will be—it will be due more to the influence of his "economic royalist" friends than anything else. If he had to rely entirely upon the "intellectual liberals" he would not get to first base in the Senate. Fortunately for him, he has other advocates. Some time ago it was suggested that one idea of putting Mr.



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Hopkins in the Cabinet was to build him up for the 1940 Presidential nomination. That is no longer taken seriously even by the "intellectuals." It would take a good deal more than two years to build Mr. Hopkins up as a Democratic Presidential possibility. It could hardly be done in twenty. The practical party politicians just laugh at the notion.

HE is being promoted now in order to save him from attack—not to groom him for higher honors. And despite his complete lack of business experience, there is one thing to be said about his occupancy of the business portfolio—to wit, his political activities will be much less offensive there than in a position where he has billions of public funds to distribute for relief.

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Events for Tonight

Annual card party in St. Ann's Church basement, 8 p. m. Christmas play in Edgely school house by pupils.

GUESTS ELSEWHERE

Mr. and Mrs. John Bensch and family, Wilson avenue, were guests on Sunday at a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Bensch's brother, N. Sedor, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cooper, Wilson avenue, are dinner guests today of Mrs. Maude Oates, Irvington, N. J.

FAMILY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Spencer, West Circle, entertained at a family dinner on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Magill, Trenton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bevan and daughter Betty, Mechanicsville; and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Magill, Bristol.

BABY FOR RAGOS

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rago, 329 Lincoln avenue, are the parents of a daughter, born Monday morning in St. Francis Hospital, Trenton, N. J.

WERE OUT OF TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. James Summers and son James, Jr., Trenton avenue, have returned from a two weeks' visit with Mr. Summers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Summers, Morrisville.

George Clark has returned to his home on Jefferson avenue from a year's stay with relatives at McKeesport.

AT RATCLIFFE HOME

Mrs. Leo Gilroy was a guest over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis E. Ratcliffe, Jefferson avenue.

IN GETTYSBURG

Mrs. John Johnson and son John Russell, Madison street, left Monday to spend the week and over Christmas with Mrs. Johnson's parents in Gettysburg. Mr. Johnson will join his family on Saturday for the holidays.

HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS

Miss Anna Heritage, Jefferson avenue, will leave Friday for her home in Tinticum, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Williams, 326 Wood street, will spend from Friday until Monday evening at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elsfeld, Newark, N. J.

Miss Laurine Thornton, New York City; Mrs. Florence Eck and daughters Agnes and Alma, Philadelphia, will be guests from Saturday until Monday of relatives, the Misses Bertha and Beulah Thornton, 583 Bath street. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roarty, May-

fair, will spend Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Roarty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Roarty, Pine street.

Mrs. Howard Ferguson, Philadelphia, will arrive Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rapp, 655 New Buckley street, where she will remain until Tuesday.

JAUNTS ARRANGED

Miss Myra Gilton, 645 Corson street, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. Irene Arcolesse, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson and Bernardine Gunning, McKinley street; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson and family, Pond street; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Robeson, Wilson avenue, will be Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fisher, Germantown.

VISIT IN BRISTOL

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Williams and son Samuel, Jr., Trenton, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goslin, Sr., Market street.

Martin Percy and Mrs. Sykes, Collingswood, N. J., and Miss Elizabeth Percy, Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kline, 1221 Pond street.

Dr. John E. Barrett, Newark, N. J., spent Sunday at his home, 605 Beaver street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lukens, Jenkintown, spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Preith and daughter, Trenton, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Preith's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Larriess, 636 Beaver street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newberg and son Louis, 3rd, Lynnbrook, L. I.; Mr.

and Mrs. Patrick McCafferty, Miss Marie Gallagher and Miss Sarah Griffin, Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Armstrong, Sr., 310 Jefferson avenue.

Jack Larriess, Philadelphia, spent Friday until Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Anna Gosline, 547 Linden street. MISS SUTTON ILL.

Miss Daisy Sutton, Bath and Buckley streets, has been confined to her home by illness during the past week.

TWO DAYS SPENT HERE

The Misses Sylvia and Norma Recchiutti, Philadelphia, spent two days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marvel Durham, 1007 Pond street.

FELLOWSHIP GROUP JOINS IN AFFAIR AT PHILADELPHIA HOME

The Young People's Fellowship of St. James' Church, was invited to join the young people of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Frankford, Sunday, and attended services at the home for the indigent, Philadelphia.

The members of the Fellowship attending from Bristol were: Miss Edna Hellings, and Miss Julia Houser, Bristol, and Walter Fagan, Edgely. Mr. Fagan was the speaker. The Young People presented candy, sugar, fruit and tobacco to those from the home attending the services.

ON THE SCREENS

BRISTOL

James Newill, singing hero of "On The Great White Trail," Grand National's newest Renfrew of the Mounted story, which comes to the Bristol Theatre today, adds to his previous vocal laurels in this production. He is heard in three special compositions—"Je T'aime" by Bob Porter, "Beautiful" by Porter and Lew Taylor, and "Mounted Men" by Betty Laidlaw and Robert Lively.

One of the reasons for Newill's speedy advance to first rank among the singing actors in outdoor pictures is the fact that in addition to a robust voice of great volume, he possesses the athletic physique which screen fans are accustomed to associate with men in the "mounties" corps.

Seen with him in this new picture are such widely known players as Terry Walker, Robert Fraser, Robert Terry, Richard Alexander, Richard Tucker, Charles King and Walter McGrail—with a part equal to that given any of these for Silver King, recognized as the brainiest dog appearing in pictures today.

Surrounded by a stirring and dramatic story that is packed with tense human interest, "Life Returns," which opens today at the Bristol Theatre, contains one amazing sequence which proves skeptics that life can be restored to the dead. This scene alone, one of the most moving and powerful ever incorporated into a picture, is worth the price of admission alone. It will not be revealed in this review. To do so would be to deprive you of one of your greatest screen thrills.

GRAND

Stirring adventure on India's Northwest frontier is being served to patrons of the Grand Theatre, where Alexander Korda's thrilling technicolor production, "Drums," is holding forth with Sabu, the small Indian sensation of "Elephant Boy" fame, Raymond Massey, Roger Livesey, Desmond Tester and Valerie Hobson in featured roles.

One of the most exciting films in the memory of this reviewer, "Drums" is also one of the most magnificent, with its thrilling scenes actually photographed in India's treacherous Khyber Pass.

Sabu is even more charming than in "Elephant Boy" as the little Indian prince of A. E. W. Mason's story,

whose bravery and loyalty save a whole regiment from slaughter at the hands of a power-mad Indian potentate.

Captain Carruthers, a fearless British officer (Roger Livesey), is sent to India to quell the uprisings being fo-

mented by the fanatical Prince Ghul (Raymond Massey), who dreams of snatching the throne of his brother, the Khan of Tokot, uniting the various hill tribes and eventually driving the British out of his ever-broadening domain.

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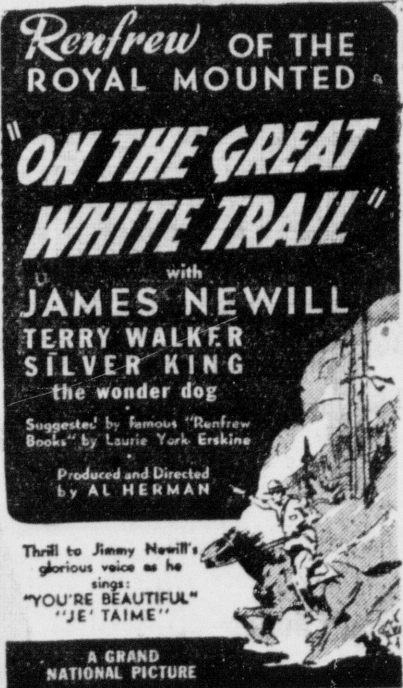
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Winning Double-Decker Was Garnered by "Jimmy" Cooper in Last Minute

Another two-point triumph gave the Goodwill Hose Company basketball five undisputed possession of first place in the Bristol Basketball League last night as the fire-fighters nosed out the Falls Township Alumni, 27-25 on the Italian Mutual Aid court.

The fire-fighting combination worked to near-perfection throughout the entire game. Their guarding was close and although they did not have as many shots at the basket as the losers did, they made most of them count.

The winning double-decker was garnered by Jimmy Cooper with less than a minute of play. After Cooper had broken the deadlock, the Alumni team had three chances to again tie the count but missed all of them. Charlie Hughes then thrilled the crowd by "freezing" the ball by himself and getting the whole Alumni team off him.

But Tullio, although held scoreless from the field, did excellent work as a guard as did Tommy Profy.

High scorers in the tilt were Lawler, Briggie and Roberts. The boys of Mike DeRisi made nine out of fifteen foul tries.

	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Pts.
Goodwill	4	1	2	9
Lawler f	3	0	2	6
Profy f	2	0	0	0
Murphy f	0	0	0	0
Hughes c	3	0	0	6
Tullio g	0	1	1	2
Flatch g	0	1	1	1
Cooper c	2	0	0	4
Falls Alumni	12	3	7	27
Briggie f	5	1	4	11
Pierr f	0	1	1	2
Johnson f	0	0	0	0
Lovett c	0	2	2	2
Roberts g	0	1	1	2
Cappiello g	0	3	3	3
Jadlocki g	0	0	0	0
	8	9	15	26

Score at halftime: Goodwill 15, F. A. 10. Referee: Morgan. Timer: Tenucci. Time of periods: 10 minutes.

Homes Are Gay With Greens At Yuletide

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mistletoe, and colored lights. This is as it should be, for Christmas as the anniversary of the birth of the Christ-child is a joyous season.

And from the green-houses of J. C. Schmidt, florist, of Otter street, comes the news that thistle, spray and holly wreaths, all gaily decorated, are now in stock. Then there are assortments of plants in decorated pots and novelty dishes; or there may be ordered attractive holiday baskets artistically arranged with beautiful foliage and fresh plants. Make the home a gay one on the 25th by using the beauties of nature.

Singer Brothers of 317 and 319 Mill street, mention lounging pajamas which are sure to strike the male fancy. Waist comfort of invisible Lastex is one feature, and the colors are in variety. There is also a selection of lumberjacks and mackinaws for both men and boys, they being of excellent quality and very long-wearing for the benefit of those who like life in the open.

Silk hosiery for milady is what Hardy's Shoe Shop, of 325 Mill street, would write on your list. The Majord clari-plane silk stockings come in individual leg lengths. Whether you wish hose for those who prefer durable service weight, or the sturdy sheers which also give long wear, stop at Hardy's today and make your selection.

Little folks like to keep in fashion just as much as big folks, and so furniture for the dolls is going stream-lined, too. A set comprised of a goodly-sized table and two chairs is shown at Tranotti's, 425 Jefferson avenue, this being fashioned of tubular metal. The legs of the sturdy table are in green metal and the top in dark wood. The back and legs of the chairs are of tubular metal also, and it is surprising just how many can be seated about this large table for a tea party.

A suit of corduroy for the lad! Yes, just the thing for either dress or school for that growing boy. And these are to be found in abundance at the establishment of Marty Green, Mill street. One model, shown in the display window is of dark brown, with knickers, and the coat features a zipper opening. And of course a lad always thinks in terms of pockets when it comes to suits or jackets, and this particular model has plenty of them.

One never knows in this section of the country whether the weather will be warm or cold or medium at the end of December. It is truly a changeable climate. But there is one way to assure comfort at all times, and also regulated heat. So prepare for the holidays ahead by ordering some Jeddo Highland coal at Artesian Coal Company office. "Saves you money—More Heat—Less Ash." Is the way they speak of this fine fuel.

BENSALEM TEAMS TO OPEN SEASON TONIGHT

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Dec. 20.—With the loss of their entire varsity sextet, the proteges of Coach Helen Smith will open their 1938-39 campaign with its Alumni on the local court here tonight. The tilt, of course, will be a test of the new varsity outfit and may be a good criterion as to what kind of a season the girls will enjoy this year, especially in league competition.

When the Bensalem Owls open their

campaign against the Alumni quintet here tonight, they will start under their fourth coach in as many years. Four years ago when head coach of athletics, George Reimer gave up the job as basketball coach to take up the duties of coaching a wrestling team there has been a different court mentor for the Blue and Grey basketballers each season. Frank Myers succeeded Reimer at the helm of the court team, but he turned the job over to Lloyd Seacrist last season. And the latter, in turn, was succeeded by John Slaven, who will take over the team this year. In fact he has already taken it over, starting his duties about mid-November when the first call for basketball was issued.

Slaven is a product of Bloomsburg State Teachers College of Pennsylvania where he starred on the quintet of that college for several seasons. Since coming to Bensalem just this year, he has also been of much value to Coach Reimer in assisting him with the football team. He is also known in Bristol, having played with and starred for St. Ann's A. A. basketball team in the Bristol League.

And though the girls' team is green and lacks experience, the girls are ready for the opener against their former mates when the whistle starts (things moving on the Owlets' court tonight). They are anxious to get going to show their coach what they can do. If they should come through in line style as the hockey team did, then they will have surprised beyond all pre-season expectations. But, at the present time, little could be expected of this practically all new team.

The only girls on the varsity this year who played much last season are Glyndle Applin, Betty Bound and Thelma Vandegrift. The first two mentioned are forwards while the latter is a guard. Applin broke into the lineup about mid-season last year and proved to be a star from the outset. Hence she finished the campaign as a regular. Bound and Vandegrift, though they saw much action last year, were used mostly in the substitute role.

Heirs Are Named In The Field and Hansen Estates

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was a convicted swindler of a quarter century ago, Philip M. Musica.

Mrs. "Coster" and two of her late husband's sisters, Grace and Louise, must first appear before Assistant U. S. Attorney Irving Kaufman. Louise is the wife of the caretaker of the estate of Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr.

By the simple expedient of changing his name to "Coster" and purchasing control of the reputable McKesson & Robbins drug firm for \$1,000,000, Musica launched a financial endeavor that exceeds fiction.

Before he was unmasked and committed suicide he allegedly used the drug concern as a shield for shadowy dealing in bootlegging and transportation of munitions to foreign nations.

Three brothers, all of whom under assumed names were associated either directly or indirectly with Philip and the drug firm, are confronted with Federal and State charges.

District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey charged the Musica quartet had taken nearly \$4,000,000 in cash from McKesson & Robbins, a firm with listed assets of \$87,000,000, but \$18,000,000 of these cannot be found. When his investigation is completed, Dewey indicated thefts from the drug concern might go as high as \$16,259,375.

These disclosures came when a New York County Grand Jury returned indictments charging grand larceny and forgery against Arthur Musica, better known as "George Vernard," George Musica, who as "George Dietrich" was assistant treasurer and assistant vice-president of McKesson & Robbins, and Robert Musica, who as "Robert Dietrich" worked for the firm purchased by Philip in 1926, a "John Doe" and a "Richard Roe."

The Federal Government, holding each in default of \$100,000 bail on charges of filing false information with the Securities and Exchange Commission, made it clear it would press its case first.

"We have evidence of defalcations

CHEMICAL MIXERS OVERCOME A. O. H. LEAD AND WIN GAME

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FINAL SCORE IS 36 TO 32

"Johnny" Cole Appears in The Line-Up for Rohm & Haas Team

Another upset took place in the Bristol Basketball League last night when the Rohm and Haas quintet overcame a Hibernian lead to capture the tilt, 36-32, before a wild and shrieking crowd which jammed the Italian Mutual Aid court to capacity.

The defeat to the Hibs and also the Falls five throws the circuit into a free-for-all, with it being anybody's league until the final week of play.

The chemical workers had Johnny Cole in their line-up and although carefully guarded, Cole did most of the passing under the net to aid the Maple Beach team to victory.

Johnny Dougherty had ten points for the winners and Ralph Cahall had twelve to lead the scorers. Gallagher, Roe and Snyder made eight points each for the Hibernians.

	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Pts.
Gallagher f	3	2	6	8
J. Roe f	3	2	2	4
Snyder c	4	0	3	3
Huffnell g	2	1	3	5
Dugan g	1	1	2	3
	13	6	16	32
Rohm & Haas				
Weideman f	2	0	0	4
Massilla f	2	0	1	4
Dougherty f	5	0	0	10
Cahall c	6	0	1	12
Slaughter g	0	0	0	0
Cole g	0	4	4	4
Brown g	1	0	1	2
	16	4	7	36

Score at halftime: A. O. H. 20; Rohm & Haas 15. Referee: Morgan. Timer: Tenucci. Time of periods: 10 minutes. Scorer: Dugan.

where actual cash was taken," said Acting U. S. Attorney Gregory Noonan

who, when asked if any member of Congress seemed to be involved in the case, replied:

"If any is, he will be granted no immunity. This is probably a more widespread fraud than any in my memory. The principals operated in 48 states."

As Federal, State and County authorities pushed their investigations into the ever-changing puzzle left by the financial wizard, Charles F. Michaels, executive vice-president of the drug firm, resigned as one of the two trustees named to guide it through reorganization proceedings. Michaels said he and his family always have been large holders of McKesson & Robbins preferred stock and he resigned to avoid any possible conflict of interest.

Assistant State Attorney General Ambrose V. McCall is anxious to learn why Michaels sold 15,042 shares of McKesson & Robbins common stock for \$118,530 a few weeks before Coster was unveiled.

Dewey gave an insight into the setup of the "Coster" dynasty by revealing that the theft of nearly \$4,000,000 was made possible by a complicated array for five fictitious companies. The \$4,000,000 was paid in commissions on fake transactions in crude drugs. The total amount involved in these transactions was \$16,250,000 which, Dewey charged, actually was paid by McKesson & Robbins to the five "dummy" concerns.

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Mrs. Roland Quinn was a recent visitor of her daughter, Mrs. Russell Arrison, Elmora, N. J.

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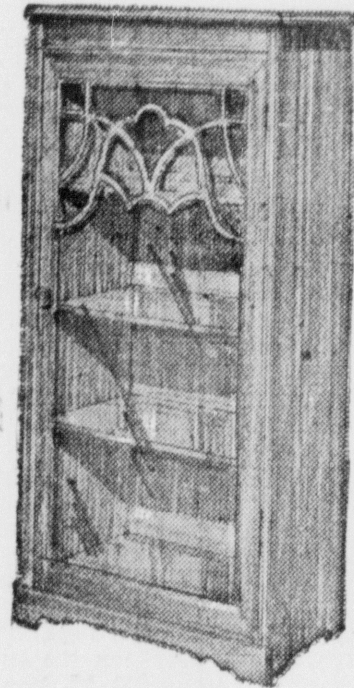
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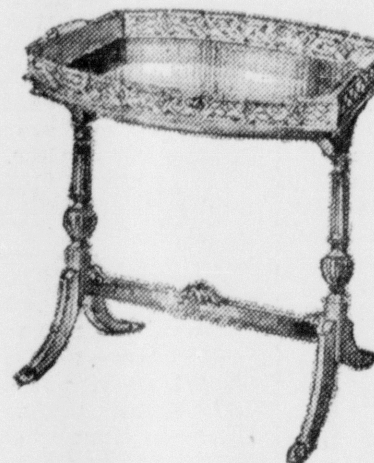
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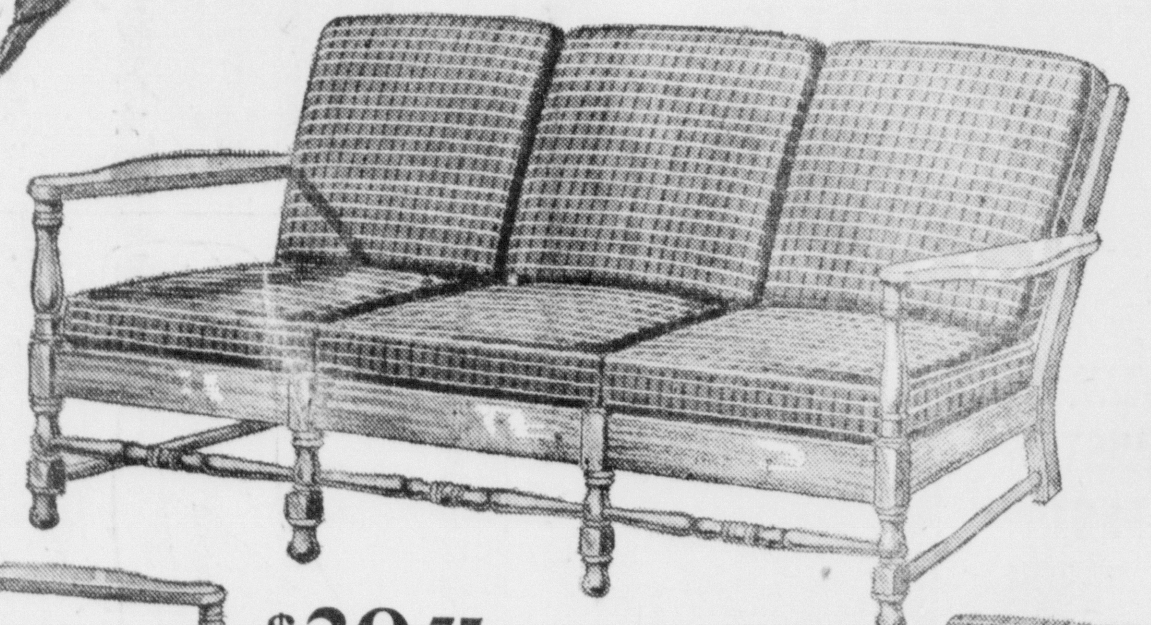
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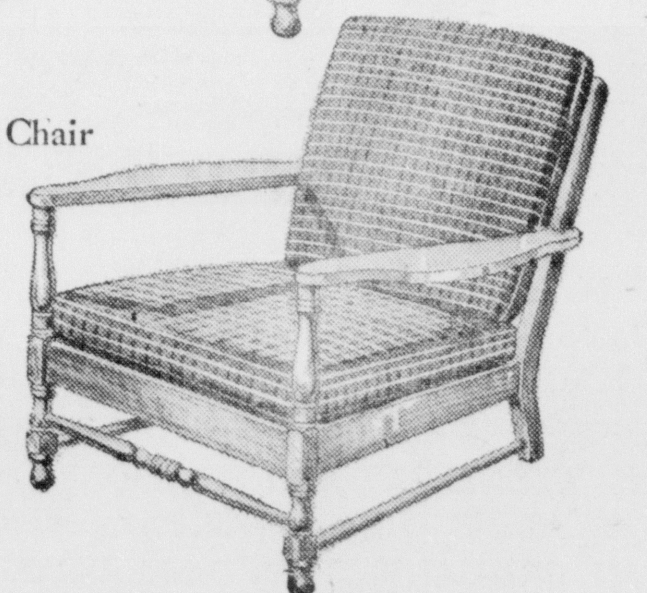


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